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## REMARKS

This paper is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed February 5, 2004. Claims 22-54 remain in this application. Claims 22, 24-29, 31, 32, 34-40 has been amended, new claims 42-54 have been added, and claims 1-21 have been cancelled. The Remarks section was presented in the Amendment filed January 12, 2004 and are not represent in this Response. Consideration of the Remarks filed January 12, 2004 is requested. Please amend the application as follows.

Thus, claims 22-54 are in condition for allowance. No additional fees are seen to be required. If any additional fees are due, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482, in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds, P.C., for any additional fees or credit the account for any overpayment. Therefore, favorable reconsideration and allowance of this application is respectfully requested.

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